#### IC 12-14-12

Chapter 12. Commission on Housing

#### IC 12-14-12-1

#### "Commission" defined

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "commission" refers to the commission on housing established by this chapter. *As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.* 

### IC 12-14-12-2

## **Establishment**

Sec. 2. The commission on housing is established within the division.

*As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.* 

#### IC 12-14-12-3

## Membership

Sec. 3. The commission consists of the following:

- (1) The governor or a representative appointed by the governor.
- (2) The state health commissioner.
- (3) Four (4) persons appointed by the governor.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.

## IC 12-14-12-4

#### Term of office

Sec. 4. Appointed members of the commission serve for a term of four (4) years.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.

## IC 12-14-12-5

#### Vacancies

Sec. 5. The governor shall fill a vacancy on the commission for the unexpired term.

*As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.* 

## IC 12-14-12-6

#### Chairman and vice chairman

Sec. 6. The commission shall elect a chairman and a vice chairman who shall serve in the chairman's absence.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.

#### IC 12-14-12-7

# Members who are not state employees; per diem; reimbursement of expenses

- Sec. 7. Each member of the commission who is not a state employee:
  - (1) is not entitled to the minimum salary per diem provided by IC 4-10-11-2.1(b); and
  - (2) is entitled to reimbursement for traveling expenses and other expenses actually incurred in connection with the member's

duties, as provided in the state travel policies and procedures established by the Indiana department of administration and approved by the budget agency.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.

## IC 12-14-12-8

## Members who are state employees; reimbursement of expenses

Sec. 8. Each member of the commission who is a state employee is entitled to reimbursement for traveling expenses and other expenses actually incurred in connection with the member's duties, as provided in the state travel policies and procedures established by the Indiana department of administration and approved by the budget agency.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.

## IC 12-14-12-9

Advisory body regarding administration of federal housing programs; policies and procedures for carrying out chapter

Sec. 9. The commission shall do the following:

- (1) Serve as an advisory body to the director and the bureau of family resources regarding federal housing programs administered by the division.
- (2) Recommend the policies and procedures necessary to carry out this chapter.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8. Amended by P.L.186-2001, SEC.6.

## IC 12-14-12-10

## **Functions of commission**

- Sec. 10. The commission may perform the following functions:
  - (1) Study housing conditions and needs throughout Indiana to determine in what areas congested and unsanitary housing conditions constitute a menace to the health, safety, welfare, and reasonable comfort of citizens.
  - (2) Recommend programs for correcting the conditions described in subdivision (1).
  - (3) Collect and distribute information relative to housing.
  - (4) Investigate all matters affecting the cost of construction or production of dwellings.
  - (5) Study means of lowering rents of dwellings through economy in the construction and arrangement of buildings.
  - (6) Recommend the areas within which or adjacent to which the construction of housing projects by housing authorities may be undertaken.
  - (7) Cooperate with local housing officials and plan commissions in the development of projects that the officials or commissions have under consideration.
  - (8) Make special studies and recommendations for the rehabilitation of areas affected by floods or other disasters.

As added by P.L.2-1992, SEC.8.